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Fliers Will Return Next Wednesday

The air squadron, which failed to put in an appearance on Sunday, arrived here on Tuesday and despite a wet afternoon were busily engaged in carrying passengers on air trips. Roy Lohmeyer made the parachute jump, which was quite a thrilling affair. Some of the planes remained until Wednesday afternoon before leaving for the south. There was quite a turnout for the occasion, although it rained almost all the time the planes were here.

Owing to the confusion in the first dating, which caused some disappointment on Sunday, and the wet weather experienced on Tuesday and Wednesday, a return date for Champion has been arranged for Wednesday, Sept. 16th, when a special program will be staged. The fliers made an excellent impression while here and no doubt a big crowd will welcome them on their return.

W.I. Holds Very Interesting Meeting

Those who attended the Women's Institute meeting at the home of Mrs. R. J. Cowell on Tuesday afternoon listened to an exceptionally good book review, when Mrs. J. N. Beauchamp fascinated her audience with the story of "A Laster for Hand" by Bess Streeter Aldrich. Another interesting item on the programme was the report of the recent conference held in Carmanagay, given by the delegate Mrs. R. J. Cowell. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded both Mrs. Beauchamp and Mrs. Cowell. Owing to the continued drought the flower show has been cancelled for this year. The meeting decided to hold their annual Halloween dance on Friday Oct. 30th. Further particulars will be given.

At the close of the meeting lunch served by Mesdames D. Smith and D. Chamberlain was enjoyed by the 22 members and friends present. On the kind invitation of Mrs. Peter Dawson the W. I. will meet at the parsonage next month.

R. Tyler Improves Despite Weather

In renewing his subscription to The Chronicle, Robt Tyler writes as follows from London, England: "I look forward every week for the news from our home town. I am feeling some better, but weather conditions over here have been bad. No sun but lots of rain. I have wished we could have had some of your heat in place of some rain, it would have been better all around in exchange. I hope the crops will turn out better than the farmers expect." Many friends here will be pleased to know that Mr. Tyler's health is improving, and will hope some of the sunshine we have had to spare has reached England while we have received such a splendid rainfall, beginning Tuesday.

Mr. G. G. Coote, U.F.A. member for High River in the federal house, a layman of the United church will speak at a luncheon in Champion on Wednesday Sept. 23rd. Further announcement will be made in the "Chronicle" next week.

Splendid Rainfall Over District

While there may have been some remnants of crop unharvested the splendid rain, which began on Tuesday and extended until Wednesday noon was entirely welcome after two dry months, during which dust had become a general nuisance and everything which should have been growing was more or less burned up. While the moisture may have been a little late to revive the pastures to an appreciable extent this fall, the presence of moisture in quantity in the soil cannot but be regarded as entirely satisfactory and continued repetition of this rainfall during the remainder of the fall months will do much to render future prospects more pleasant to contemplate. Unquestionably there was little possibility of anything becoming much drier.

Will Consolidate Tax Arrears

The Municipal District of Harmony has passed a bylaw which arrears of taxes may be consolidated at 7 per cent interest. Briefly, the provisions of the bylaw are as follows: On payment of the current year's taxes and one fifth of the arrears before Dec. 15, 1931, the balance will be consolidated and will be payable in four equal instalments, not later than the 15th day of December in each year. In addition the council may by resolution in particular cases demand only the current taxes before Dec. 15th, and the first four instalments will be payable in 1932. Application for such consolidation must be made prior to October 15th, and any further details in regard to the by-law may be secured from the Sec-Treas.

W. S. Philpott Dies At Fort St. John

News of the death of W. S. Philpott, who with his family moved to Fort St. John, B.C., from this district over a year ago, was received by Mrs. Carlson this week. No particulars are available, however, but should be available for next week's issue. The family will have the sympathy of many friends in this vicinity in their bereavement.

First Shipments To Churchill

Western Canada's dream of fifty years was realized September 1, when 21 cars of wheat arrived at Churchill port, en route to European markets. This is the first wheat ever to come over the Hudson Bay Railway into the new and most modern 2,500,000 bushel elevator. Wheat originating along the lines of the Canadian National Railways in northwest Saskatchewan has the distinction of forming the first shipment, and to the Canadian Wheat Pool goes the honor of shipping the grain. Eskimos and Indians at the bay port, only dimly realizing the epoch-making event, were present in large numbers.

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The New "Systems."

Under the headings "Financial Dictatorship" and "A World in Ruin," the U.F.A. endeavor to show that our entire system of financing is entirely wrong, and that the bankers are now dictating government policies. Many individuals have had experience of the same kind as is now being experienced by the British government. Money was borrowed and expenditures continued until the banks considered further advances insecure and with this source of supply stopped or unduly restricted either the individual or government alters their plan of campaign entirely. This may be labelled "Financial Dictatorship," but what kind of banks or groups of financiers would continue to lend indefinitely where repayment was impossible. Our governing bodies have plainly shown that some kind of check on their expenditures is absolutely necessary, and naturally the decision on the part of those lending money that it is being expended to the detriment of the public must influence the policy of a government if the necessary advances are to be continued. It will be noticed that the financiers do not come into any measure of control until the financial embarrassment has been reached. Then it they continue to lend money they would appear to have reason for demanding economies in expenditure which would permit repayment.

Looking backward it is not difficult to see many of the reasons for the present depression as far as we are concerned locally. Holding wheat and options during the disastrous slump in prices would account for at least half a million dollars that could have been retained in this district; purchases of oil stocks and other promotions would account for a great deal more. Then the mechanism of farms took place at so rapid a rate that disaster was almost invited. To blame all this to our money system must appeal to any reasonable man as extremely foolish, to say the least. To suggest that in the middle of the stream we should swap horses for some of the fantastic skeletons that are being offered for riding from so many different sources would not appeal to the level headed farmer, and in most instances does not appeal. Naturally, drowning people will snatch at straws, but the straws that are being furnished by the U.F.A. and kindred publications are not proved to be even good straws, in fact there is no assurance they would even float themselves.

It is only in times like this that theorists in new schemes are able to get a possible hearing. Naturally, anyone badly involved by existing circumstances would welcome a change of "system" that would relieve him of his responsibilities, but the average man will

find it very hard to believe that any such agencies will be inaugurated. The grain crop will bring very little money to the farmers, and other produce is low in value, but the solution of the difficulties with which we are faced will not be accomplished by monetizing silver, adopting the Russian system or some other unproved remedy. If everyone tries to the very best he can to meet existing obligations and avoid the contracting of new ones the ultimate end will be more satisfactory than to try one of the many "systems" for an easy ride to renewed prosperity.

NOTES AND COMMENT.

For a long time we have been thinking, and of late we have been saying, that Lafleche can have the greatest number of bridge players of any place in the world, according to population. Beyond all doubt a great number of the postcard show signs of wear, some are saying "best bridge players," but until some of the inefficient players have learned somewhat more, we will lay claim to being the best players. As the packs are beginning to sadly show signs of wear, some are wondering if it would be possible to elect a delegate to negotiate with the federal government for relief cards—Lafleche Advocate.

Lafleche is a southern Saskatchewan town about the size of most wheat towns and the suggestion that it has more bridge players than any other town its size is ambitious but accords with credit given its inhabitants by a sports writer of a prominent daily newspaper who travelled through it last winter. Despite continued crop failure he found

everybody curling or playing hockey and making the best of a very bad situation. This writer omitted bridge activities but these usually form part of the makeup of a real sporting community. Champion may not be able to claim the "most bridge players" but if a claim of "the best" is not correct, then a considerable number of our intellectuals have wasted many, many years in playing the game. If our bridge gang took as much interest in other sports as they do in bridge, then Champion would be the "sportiest" town in the world.

Any sudden change in our money system with the idea of inducing the return of prosperity would very likely be more disastrous than the hard times have proven so far. The advocates of change of system are usually holding down a job created by unrest, and their personal interests are served by advancing chimerical plans by which world prosperity will be restored without effort on the part of the individual. The average man may discuss these plans but in his heart he knows there is little to hope in any of them. Such changes as are advocated would have to come slowly as a matter of evolution to avert disaster.

Tenth Fortnightly Crop Report

Issued by the Department of Agriculture, Edmonton, Alberta, September 6th, 1931.

Wheat cutting is 90 per cent completed in the southern part of the province and in the Peace River district. In Central and Northern Alberta where continued rains have delayed ripening and harvesting, not more than 50 per cent of cutting has been done. Threshing is well advanced in the south. In the area lying south of Calgary and west of Lethbridge many summerfallows are yielding from 25 to 30 bushels per acre of high grade wheat. Yields from spring cultivated lands are light. Threshing is in progress in the Peace River district. Yields are satisfactory but quality has suffered from heat and drought during the ripening period. Very little frost damage is reported. Oats and barley have ripened rapidly in the past ten days and a considerable acreage has been cut. Yields of these grains will be satisfactory in all parts of the province with the exception of the East-Central and South-Eastern areas.

An excellent second cutting of Alfalfa has been harvested in the irrigated districts. Sugar beets are progressing favorably although yields will be slightly below those of last year.

Alfalfa and sweet clover seed crops give evidence of heavy yields. Potato and root crops are in satisfactory condition.

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Gulf Stream Is Extending And Cold Arctic Waters Receding Much Farther North

Discovery that the Gulf Stream has increased in extent to an unusual degree this year has been made by investigators on the United States patrol boat "General Green," which has been engaged for four months in exploration work in northern waters.

The explorers, including Commander Ricketts and Mr. Oat Mosby, formerly associated with Dr. Fridtjof Nansen in oceanographic work in Norway, further discovered that, owing to the exceptionally high temperatures, the cold arctic waters had receded much farther north. Remarkably few icebergs were seen. Encroachment of the Gulf Stream upon the western slope of the Newfoundland banks was found between the forty-first and forty-second parallels to longitude 46 west, then turning sharply north and making another encroachment toward the eastern slope. Temperature at one point in the area was 20 degrees higher than last year.

The "General Green" expedition started north in July to study ocean currents, salinity, temperatures at various depths and the ice drift between Newfoundland and Labrador and as far north as Hudson Strait. Records of temperature and salinity at various depths were taken at 122 stations and 2,000 soundings made in many areas between Labrador and Greenland never previously surveyed. No field ice was encountered on the Labrador Coast, and only 90 icebergs were sighted in Hudson Strait.

Two hundred icebergs were found on the Greenland Coast while anchored against the Inagat Glacier. Three members of the Coastguard expedition surveyed the Greenland ice cap, arriving on board. They were Mr. James M. Scott, Mr. Andrew Stephenson, and Lieut. Martin Lindsay. All had travelled 400 miles afoot over the ice caps. They had made exceptional time and were in excellent condition. Commander Ricketts, beyond stating that fine weather had been encountered, said that the crew had enjoyed the best of health, and that the programme had been completed, was reticent regarding details of work as first reports must be made to headquarters.

A Great Benefactor

Pullman, Inventor of Sleeping Cars, Born a Hundred Years Ago

One hundred years ago a man named Pullman was born. When he died he left a great fortune and a name that was sure to last. It was Pullman who conceived the idea that something more comfortable than the old compartment carriage might run upon railways. His first cars, with gables from end to end and provided with comfortable seats and tables for passengers, made their appearance in America between sixty and seventy years ago. They were an immediate success, and in 1871 the Midland Railway Company imported four of them to Great Britain. They were sent over in two consignments, together on arrival. Pullmans are now seen on nearly all the railways in the world.

Maple Sugar Production

Maple sugar and maple syrup had increased in Canada in the spring of 1931 had an estimated value of \$5,357,700, of which the former accounted for \$360,800 and the latter \$5,000,900. There were 5,841,100 pounds of maple sugar produced and 1,314,700 gallons of maple syrup, the Province of Quebec leading by a wide margin and followed by Ontario.

Work Only Thing Needed

Depression? Take a look at the endless string of motor cars that are lined up at the summer resorts, a few vacant seats at the theatres and similar things. There is plenty of money in the country, plenty of food and plenty of everything else—excepting work. Work alone will cure the depression.



"Why don't you stop applauding? The singer's going to sing again. 'Well, as long as I applaud she can't stop singing again.'"—Lustig Koln: Zeitung, Cologne.

W. N. U. 1936

Western Fish Hatcheries

Record Distribution of Fry Made in Prairie Provinces Last Year

Last year saw a record distribution from the fish hatcheries of the Prairie provinces, according to a report of the fish culture division of the Department of Fisheries at Ottawa. From the Manitoba hatcheries there was a whitish distribution of 130,000,000, and a pickered distribution of 100,000,000 as well as an output of salmon trout to the number of 180,000. From the hatchery at Port Qu'Appelle, Sask., nearly 15,610,000 eggs, etc., were sent out while the Alberta distribution amounted to 103,250,000.

Alberta Wool

Opportunity For Development Of Woolen Industry Is Pointed Out

Splendid opportunities exist in Alberta for the development of a native-grown wool, in the opinion of Dr. Thomas Oliver, editor of the Scotch Tweed Journal and member of the staff of the Scottish Wool Technical College at Glasgow, who was a recent visitor to Calgary, Alberta. Wool grades are among the best in their class in the world, he pointed out.



By Annette



THE JACKET DRESS PROVES ITSELF

The jacket suit of plain or printed flat crepe or light weight woolens holds a prominent place in the new mode.

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Employment In Canada

Pronounced Increase Is Indicated In Prairie Provinces

Employment in Canada at the beginning of August showed a further upward movement, according to statements tabulated by the Dominion Bureau of Statistics from 7,878 firms, whose payrolls aggregated 805,238 persons, as compared with 943,419 on July 1.

The index number stood at 105.2, compared with 103.4 on July 1, 1931, and 118.8, 127.4, 119.3, 110.5, 105.5, 97.5, 95.8, 101.4, 94.2 and 90.0 on August 1, 1929, 1928, 1927, 1926, 1925, 1924, 1923, 1922 and 1921, respectively. The employers making returns—therefore reported smaller payrolls than at the beginning of August in the preceding four years, but the index of employment was practically the same as in 1926, 410.5 was higher than in the five years, 1921-1925.

Construction reported a very large gain, chiefly due to important works undertaken for the relief of unemployment in Saskatchewan, the tendency was also favourable in mining, communications, transportation and services. On the other hand, logging continued seasonally quiet, and there were also losses in manufacturing and trade.

Greater activity was shown in the prairie provinces, employment was indicated in Quebec, Ontario and the Maritime provinces, while very little change was indicated in British Columbia.

A very pronounced increase in employment was indicated in the prairie provinces, where 1,621 employers reported 156,504 workers, or 34,651 more than at the beginning of July. This increase, which was the largest ever reported in the prairie provinces, was almost entirely due to road work undertaken for relief of unemployment in Saskatchewan. Services and telecommunications also showed moderate improvement, but manufacturing, transportation and building construction were slacker. Smaller gains had been reported on August 1, 1930, and the index then was rather lower than on the date under review.

Woman Makes Good In Business

Quits Job and Later Becomes President of Large Company

Refused a \$1 week raise 28 years ago, Mary Dillon stepped out and made herself president of the \$12,000,000 Brooklyn Borough Gas Company, just to prove that women can make good in business, she explained. It took a little time after she had quit her job passing out bathing suits in a Coney Island bath house for the gas company. Then, in 1925, after 22 years of steady promotion she was made president of the firm.

She advises other women ambitious for a successful business career to get married and go to work once married, she said. "They aren't so preoccupied with the man question. A career in itself can satisfy woman emotionally, and a business woman with an unhappy life carries over her emotional ups and downs to her work."

A dwelling house of welded steel and brick has been constructed in New York.

POLO PLAYER RESCUES KING'S COUSIN

Lady Louis Mountbatten (above), wife of a cousin of King George, and one of the richest women in the world, was rescued from drowning off Cape Anthon, France, by Stephen Sanford (inset), star American polo player, when she was seized by cramps. Brought ashore in a state of collapse, Lady Mountbatten was not revived for some time.



IN ROYAL TITF



Domestic affairs of members of the Romanian royal family are again in the limelight with Queen Mariana of Yugoslavia (above) reported to have refused to participate in the celebration of the tenth anniversary of her husband's accession to the throne. And all because of a family rift. Hubby is King Alexander of Yugoslavia while brother is King Carol of Romania.

Canada Selling Wheat

Increased Sales Are Noted Over Previous Year

Although unable to exercise any control over world prices of wheat, Canadian wheat holders last year sold 72,370,675 bushels of wheat more than they sold in 1929-30. They sold this in face of vigorous competition from Russia and Argentina, and in spite of several adverse factors. One bundle out of every three shipped in the world in the 12 months ending July 31, 1931, was Canadian.

Despite stiff competition from Russia and the Argentine in the European market and with the Oriental market captured largely by Australia through depreciated currency, Canada last year exported 228,486,403 bushels of wheat and 6,701,663 barrels of flour. This was the equivalent of 258,437,887 bushels actually exported, an increase of 72,370,675 bushels over the 1929-30 crop year—Regina Daily Star.

Five Billions In Gold

Gold Holdings In United States Will Soon Be Greater Than Ever

The pockets of Uncle Sam soon will bulge with more than \$5,000,000,000 in gold.

A survey of the gold situation showed that it will be only a matter of a short time before gold holdings in the United States will top the five billion mark for the first time in the history of any nation.

The gold reserve on August 26 amounted to \$4,992,000,000, while impending shipments from South America will increase this amount.

A shipment of \$4,253,000 in being sent to New York from Argentina on the steamer "Western Prince," and Uruguay plan to send \$5,000,000. In addition, receipts of \$850,000 from Mexico was reported by the Federal Reserve Bank of New York.

Tramp Steamers Of Late Years Have Been Forced To Give Way To Competition Of Ocean Liners

Good Market For Saskatchewan Cattle

Stock Raisers Have Splendid Opportunity For Export To Britain

During the twelve month period ending August 31, 1931, Saskatchewan exported seven hundred and eighty-nine head of beef cattle to Great Britain. These figures have been compiled by W. Waldron, Provincial Markets Commissioner, from weekly returns on the export cattle trade furnished by the Dominion Live Stock Branch, Ottawa.

According to Mr. Waldron, Saskatchewan farmers are not making the most of their opportunity to secure a much larger share of the business. "While it must be admitted," states Mr. Waldron, "that some of our stockers and feeders find their way to Manitoba and Ontario, there is no finished and exported, never shall we have a better opportunity to enter the export cattle trade than at present through the whole of Saskatchewan." He points out the abundance of excellent feed, water, and cheap grain, provided cattle put on feed are of the right quality.

The following figures show where the cattle exported from the province originated: Ontario, 9,176; Alberta, 5,841; Manitoba, 1,477; Saskatchewan, 789; Quebec, 296, a total of 17,222. A final point mentioned by Mr. Waldron was that he thought there existed a need for the organization of a greater number of local co-operative shipping points in order that a farmer having two or three head of steers of export quality would be able to ship with his neighbor and not sacrifice a first class animal at a second class price.

Advance In Public Health

Mortality Amongst Younger People Is Still High, Says British Medical Officer

Although great advance had been made in public health this century it was not possible to be satisfied with the position of the general health of the world, Dr. W. G. Willoughby, medical officer of the Eastbourne, said in his address as president of the British Medical Association, at the recent meeting at Eastbourne. He said that the increase in the average duration of life in the present century, averaging more than 12 years, was mainly owing to the decrease in infant mortality, but was partly due to the general lowering of death rates at other ages. Ten per cent more of the population now reached the age of 50.

"There were far too many deaths at early ages," Dr. Willoughby said. In regard to the general's latest summary, that for 1929, it was shown that rather over one-third of the deaths of females, occurred before the age of 50. Omitting deaths of infants—deaths in the first year of life—less than one-third of deaths of children under 15 and another 20,683 in the next 10 years of life.

Although the vitality of the nation has been steadily improving, the expectation of life is still only 55 years for males and 59 for females. This was one of the points emphasized by Dr. Willoughby.

Cow Wins Honours

Aberdeen Angus Cow Owned In Saskatchewan Carries Off Prizes

"Lois of Moose Jaw," the Aberdeen Angus cow owned by W. J. F. Warren, of Bellevue, Sask., has added another string of honours to its already long list, by carrying away the premium of the Aberdeen Angus Association of Scotland, both at Saskatoon and at Moose Jaw as well as winning the highest honours at Weymouth, Estevan, Portage la Prairie, Dauphin, Yorkton and Melfort. Mr. Warren had a very successful season this year, particularly at Regina where his herd won six first prizes, four seconds, two thirds, one fifth and two sixths.

Priceless Furs From North

Nearly half a million dollars' worth of fur gathered from the sub-Arctic barren lands, passed through The Fur Mania, recently, en route to Winnipeg and London, England. The shipment, 75 bales in all, was composed of priceless pelts, silver fox, white fox and a few choice beaver skins.

Easily Identified

The lady was quite flattered by the little boy's recognition. "Do you know all of your mother's friends?" she was asked. "No, ma'am," replied the lad, "but I can tell you by your feet."

The tramp steamer which used to ply to the strange ports of the world seeking cargoes probably soon will seek the sailing vessel in near-extinction.

A calculation made in London shows that liners, both passenger and cargo, coasted with regular routes and time, as contrasted with the tramp, comprises about 70 per cent of the world's tonnage. Liners totalled but 34 per cent of the world's tonnage in 1913.

The change has been particularly noticeable in the port of London, where, outside the timber trade, there now are very few tramps as compared with pre-war days. Nearly everybody prefers to send goods in "parcels" up to 10,000 tons or more on one of the regular line ships.

Conditions are not so favorable to cross the Atlantic and Pacific in tramp steamers. Now a large part of it comes across the oceans in the Canadian Pacific's fast cargo liners, or in the holds of passenger ships. There are half a dozen regular lines between Vancouver and Seattle, and even the liner Plate ports are now on the schedules of the liners. Sea affairs in general have been changed considerably by the shift from tramp steamer to liner. The seaman no longer signs on for a season, but for a few months, and he can tell his wife almost the day when he will return. Jobs are steadier, for cargo liners stick to their schedules.

But with the passing of the tramp steamer passes one of the last vestiges of the pioneering of another day, and one of the last links between the ship owner and the merchant adventurers of the seventeenth century is broken.

Reveal Rich Deposits

Valuable Mineral Discovery Is Made At Peers, Alberta

The munitions have been hurrying to the west as government authorities announced assays from the mining development west of Edmonton revealed rich deposits.

The spirit of the Yukon days was on as those who follow the illusive trail of precious ore trocked to the westward in quest of the riches of Edmonia, where gold, silver and platinum have been found in paying quantities. The Dominion Department of Mines announced that assays had shown high grade silver, an assay of 29.8 cents per cubic yard of coarse and flake gold and heavy traces of white metal of the platinum group. The platinum deposits are exceedingly valuable.

The discovery on the McLeod River at Peers, Alberta, was made in the gravel just under the surface. Government officials say the location is ideal for placer development.

Deportation From Canada

Many Who May Wish To Be Deported Due For Disappointment

Deportation from Canada does not depend upon the willingness or the unwillingness of persons, it was stated at the Department of Immigration, Ottawa. When shown a press report from Regina, Sask., which told of the city council preparing lists of voluntary deportees, department officials said the deportation laws were not sufficiently elastic to enable men and women to be transported back to their own countries simply by applying for it.

Throughout Canada, said one official of the department, a great number of people, who were not deportable, had expressed their willingness to be deported. This, however, did not mean the department would pay their passages back to their native lands. If their cases did not fall within the deportation laws they remained in the country despite their expressed willingness to be deported.

The dead man misses a lot, but he doesn't have to listen to his neighbor's radio.



"You're not touching my papers, are you, Jack?" "I've cut the paper dolls, but I'm only using the written sheets."—Kasper, Stockholm.

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Canadian Banks Sound

Have Withstood Depression While Hundreds in States Have Failed

Canadian banks are blamed for many things from time to time, and there are those who would make extensive changes in the banking system if they had the opportunity, but for business people and the general public there must be a great source of satisfaction in the stability they have shown during the stress of recent months.

In the same time hundreds of banks in the United States have failed and the depositors have lost vast sums of money. Three large banks in Toledo, Ohio, decided to close their doors, and a fourth asked that its affairs be taken over by the State Banking Department. Assets worth more than \$100,000,000 are tied up. At the same time eleven savings associations under the building and loan laws of Ohio said they would have to cease permitting withdrawals.

No situation such as this has faced any Canadian community nor any depositor in a Canadian bank in the present emergency. Unquestionably there is much to be said for a system which puts such right safeguards around the people's money.—Ottawa Journal.

Convention Cancelled

Annual Meeting of Canadian Clubs Will Not Be Held This Year

Announcement that the annual meeting of the Association of Canadian Clubs, scheduled to have been held in Regina, September 11 and 12, has been cancelled.

While no official reason for the decision was given, it is understood that due to prevailing economic conditions the affiliated clubs of the association have decided to cancel the annual meeting.

According to a report made by Mr. Spry, a recent executive meeting of the association is concluding a most successful year. There are now affiliated with the association 94 of the 105 active Canadian clubs from coast to coast.

To get across the North Atlantic in a fifty-foot yawl calls for a lot of courage to begin with. There are wicker summer stools that shake up even the biggest liners and in which these cockle shells would seem to have but the smallest chance of survival.

At the moment, however, some of them of light airs, means not only courage, but the willingness to take every chance.

We marvel at the courage of the men or of who crossed the Western Ocean in their tiny ships, but the British and American shipwreckers are their worthy successors. The ocean has not changed since 1492 and a fifty-foot yawl is the grip of its wrath.

Is that thing I love, though I hunger till I die, dark as the sky's pagoda move, though I feel in the face of the sea Always comfort and peace, And that deep in the forest's green

Cure will grant me release. Through the glory of cloud-flight I seek to look To the glory beyond, And I seek for the stars in the sky, The stars in the pond, Not earth's beauties before me that move.

But I beseech I guess; And it is not loved hands that I love, But the love they express!

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City Appeals To Women U. S. Census Shows More Men Remain On Farm

Girls and women of the United States were more numerous than boys and men in the great trek from the farm to the cities in the late decade, the Census Bureau reports. Women outnumber men in the cities in the ratio of 100 to 96. That the city had appealed most to women is shown in the presence of 9,000,000 more women than men in the city than on the farm. The female urban population is 34,800,063, while 25,837,003 remain in rural areas. The urban male population, 31,054,760, and 27,982,320 live on the farm.

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Abelardus, Abbe of Bec, France. How shall we enter when for us the golden gates roll back? Shall we go home as children whose homecoming is not only welcomed and watched for by the heart of Heavenly Fatherhood and the heart of Heavenly Brotherhood, but by many and many a one to whom we have given a smile or a word of love for Christ's sake?—Rose Porter.

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SAYS SUPREME COURT DECISIONS SHOULD BE FINAL

Murray Bay, Que.—Too many bankruptcies are entered into lightly in Canada, and there is too much sympathy for the interest of creditors, the council of the Canadian Bar Association reported at the thirty-day convention which opened in the Manoir Richelieu here.

Sir Francois Lemieux, 80-year-old chief justice of the province of Quebec, presided over a luncheon and paid tribute in his address to the work of the late Sir James Aikens, former lieutenant-governor of Manitoba, for the association and the country generally. All constitutional disputes arising within the Dominion should go to the supreme court in all future similar cases.

If the decisions of the supreme court in these cases were allowed to become a final decision they should be looked upon as a binding authority both on that court and on the privy council in all future similar cases.

"That," Mr. St. Laurent declared in uttering an opinion to which he committed no one but himself, "would be a first step in making our supreme court really supreme. I am confident that with such a ruling many constitutional questions would be determined here, whilst there would remain open to the Dominion and the provinces as autonomous and independent governments in their respective spheres, a further tribunal such as satisfactory and as expeditious and in every way more satisfactory than any which might be set up under the resolution of the imperial conference of 1930."

Mr. St. Laurent's consideration arose out of his treatment of the proposed statute of Westminster.

"There is undoubtedly a growing feeling in Canada that at least in ordinary disputes between private parties, final decision should be arrived at in our own courts," the president continued.

British Films

May Erect Chain Of Theatres In Canada To Show Pictures

Toronto, Ont.—British motion picture producers would like to set up as into the Canadian market regardless of the attitude of the Canadian motion picture industry, declared F. W. Fields, of Montreal, British Commissioner in Canada, addressing a meeting under the auspices of the National Council of the British Canadian National Exhibition here.

If Canadian theatre owners were not more friendly to British films, he predicted the erection of a chain of British theatres to show pictures from that country here.

E.P. Ranch Takes Prizes

Secured Heavily At Victoria, B.C., In Shorthorn Cattle Class

Victoria, B.C.—H.R.H. the Prince of Wales scored heavily in prize awards at the Victoria Exhibition. Entered only in the Shorthorn cattle class the "E.P." ranch, of High River, Alberta, captured the grand champion penman and reserve, senior champion cow, junior champion cow, nine additional firsts, one second, three thirds and a fourth to make almost a clear sweep of the class in which the cattle competed.

Slamesse Rulers On Way Home—Barratt, Alberta.—Their Majesties Prince and Princess Saskatchewan and Queen of Wales, who have spent nearly three weeks in the Canadian Rockies, have left in their special train for the Pacific Coast. The King and Queen will sail for home on the "Empress of Canada," on September 12, embarking at Victoria, B.C.

Requires Aid From Ottawa

The Pas, Man.—Premier John Bracken told The Pas Board of Trade that the province is unable to meet the entire cost of the Mackinac Highway, but that if The Pas can persuade the Federal Government to guarantee 50 per cent. of the cost of the road, work on it would start the next day.

Ontario Highway Section

Toronto, Ont.—Premier Henry announced that work on the two sections of the "Trans-Canada Highway" for Ontario's unimproved, will start October 1. While September 1 was previously given as the opening date, definite plans for starting work camps are still being formulated.

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Duty On Magazines

Cautious Tariff Now In Effect Affecting Periodicals Imported

Ottawa, Ont.—Nearly 400 periodicals are contained in the partial list issued by the Department of National Revenue here, of magazines upon which a customs tariff will be imposed as from this date.

The department makes it clear that the list is not complete, and that a further list will be issued "when the necessary information is furnished to the department by the publishers of other periodical publications."

Three sections and two sub-sections of the customs tariff—148B to 148D inclusive—apply to all magazines imported into Canada from foreign countries, for such publications from Great Britain and other parts of the British Empire are not affected, nor is there any provision for the imposition of a duty on the periodical publications listed in the trade treaty countries.

The list covers United States magazines exclusively. A number of those of the short story type are boosted in price, by reason of the new tax, to a cost that may cause their total disappearance from Canadian newsstands. These came within the classification of "periodicals or newspapers."

Scientific publications, religious magazines and others devoted to information on public and cultural affairs, and to travel and exploration, which carry articles of an educational character are listed free.

General Disarmament

Legion Believes War Should Have No Place In Civilized World

Niagara Falls, Ont.—Reaffirming their belief that war has no place in a civilized world and approving the campaign of the League of Nations Society in Canada to advance the cause of general disarmament, delegates to the Canadian Legion Convention unanimously passed a resolution to that effect. The resolution was qualified, however, as follows:

"This resolution of approval is not, however, to be taken as approving of disarmament by individual nations, and expresses the opinion that it is the duty of Canada to maintain adequate defence forces."

Second Ship To Churchill

Will Pick Up 7,000 Tons Of Grain For Shipment To Europe

Montreal, Que.—The steamer "Warwick," sailed from Montreal, September 1, for Churchill, Manitoba, to pick up 7,000 tons of grain as an experimental shipment to Europe. The S.S. Farnworth sailed August 28, from Newcastle-on-Tyne for Churchill.

The "Farnworth" is expected to reach the port about September 12, when the "Warwick" due about two days later. With but little ice in Hudson Bay, conditions appear to be favourable for the experiment, according to local shipping men.

Governor-General Presided

Opened Convention Of Canadian Bar Association At Murray Bay

Montreal, Que.—The Canadian Bar Association, Governor-General Lord Bessborough, Governor-General of Canada, left Montreal on board the S.S. Tadoussac for Murray Bay, where he presided at the opening of the Canadian Bar Association Convention. His Excellency was accompanied by his son, Viscount Duncan, and A. F. Lascelles.

As the vice-regal party boarded the steamer, the Governor-General's flag was unfurled at the masthead, the S.S. Tadoussac thus having the honour of being the first steamer in the lower St. Lawrence to fly the emblem of the King's representative.

Costs Can Be Reduced

Finding Of Conference On Production Expenses Of Wheat

Calgary, Alberta.—Wheat producers attending conference here with a view to cutting down production expenses closed their sessions with the decision that costs can be reduced, and wheat will continue to be for several years to come the basic wheat crop.

The conference formed the second of two sessions of the program, the first being held in the fall of 1930, when being held trials and tests of farm machinery at the Midnapore Ranch of Senator Patrick Burns.

Welfare Of Workers

Moscow, Russia.—Addressing the general conference of Moscow engineers, V. K. Kuybyshev, chairman of the state planning commission, declared that Russia's economic situation achieved its aim to industrialize the nation in less than five years, intends in 1932 to devote more attention to the welfare of workers and peasants.

Wheat Shipment At Churchill

Load Of Wheat Arrived At Port

Churchill.—The dream of 50 years of western Canada was realized when 24 cars of No. 1 Northern wheat arrived at this bay port en route to European markets. This is the first wheat ever to come over the Hudson Bay route in the 2,500,000 bushel wheat elevator.

All the workmen for Carter-Halls-Adliger, and the Department of Railway and Canada were present when the epoch-making event took place. Eskimos and Indians, only thirty-five in all, were present at the event, were present in large numbers. When it was definitely learned that the what was the principal part of the cargo, there arose from the group of workmen and the engineer blew loud blasts in answer.

SUPPORT ASKED BY BADWIN FOR THE NEW CABINET

London, England.—Hon. Sir John Baldwin, leader of the Conservative Party and president of the council in the new three-party government, appealed to every Conservative member of parliament to support the emergency cabinet's financial legislation.

"The forthcoming session is to be one of the most critical in our history," Mr. Baldwin said in a letter sent to all of his parliamentary followers. "I beg of you to be present on the appointed days and to give your constant support to the government to enable them to pass the necessary financial legislation."

"Failure to do this duty through- out this crisis would be dishonourable to us as a party and disastrous to the national interests."

The Conservative leader's appeal was issued as the cabinet began its battle to balance the budget. After a three-hour session it was announced, the ministers had completed their labors in connection with the economic section of the national plan and that their forthcoming deliberations would be mainly concerned with the financial question—that is, new taxes.

Stress was placed on the great progress made, and officials generally were optimistic that the new government has excellent prospects of "pulling England out of the hole" without "venting unusual sacrifices on the already over-burdened population."

It was believed a vote of confidence would be sought almost at the opening of the House at least after two days' debate on certain resolutions which must precede the budgetary proposals of the government.

The Associated Society of Locomotive Engineers and Firemen adopted a resolution requesting the new government and urging the adoption of a definite Socialistic policy by the Trade Union Congress and the Labor Party with a view of changing the present credit system of the nation and combatting the power of capitalist interests, both national and international.

Rt. Hon. J. H. Thomas, secretary for the Dominions, who resigned from his official position with the National Union of Railwaymen before being dismissed, was angry when he heard that the organization had voted against giving him his pension.

"It's cruel, harsh and vindictive," he said. "It's not the railwaymen I

CELEBRATES BIRTHDAY

Lord Of Wheat Arrives At Port



Sir George Foster, member of the Canadian Senate, who celebrated his 84th birthday on September 3. He is the last survivor of any of Sir John A. MacDonald's Cabinets in the wider Dominion sphere.

Market For Wheat In China

Our Surplus Wheat Would Save Thousands Of Chinese From Starving

Montreal, Que.—Canada's surplus wheat in elevators throughout the Dominion would save the lives of thousands of Chinese now starving in the areas flooded by the Yantse River and possibly be the means of furnishing a future outlet for Canadian wheat that would prove of great benefit to this country. Wong Han, prominent member of the Montreal Chinese colony, stated here.

He thought that there was an excellent market for the hard wheat of Canada in his homeland. "The Chinese," he explained, "will never eat bread to any great extent, as it is a food absolutely foreign to them and would require cooking equipment not found in the average Chinese home. But rice, however, 'he went on, 'could be used freely in the preparation of Chinese dishes, such as the making of dumplings and noodles, and its use for this purpose would take millions of bushels of Canadian wheat yearly."

Economic Situation

Solution Of Difficulty May Lay In Shortening Of Working Hours

Saskatoon, Sask.—Solution of the present difficulty for the workmen in shortening of working hours while maintaining the present standard of living, stated Hon. Howard McConnell, Provincial Treasurer, when speaking to a local service club. Mr. McConnell dealt with the economic situation generally and stressed the need of great economy in the province. He predicted that revenue this year would fall far short of requirements, and that the only way to largely at the door of the agricultural situation in the south of this province.

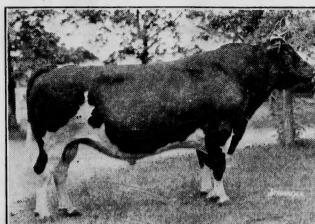
Soporific Books

Dean Inge Would Have Doctors Prescribe Books For Insomnia

London, England.—Doctors should prescribe books by certain authors as a cure for insomnia, suggested Dean Inge, of St. Paul's, at the Library Association Convention here.

"I have often found my wife sleeping peacefully with one of my books up and on her knee," Dean Inge said.

GRAND CHAMPION



Holding the record maintained in all showings at the Canadian Pacific Exhibition, Vancouver, the Strathmore herd from the Canadian Pacific Railway's supply farm in Alberta proved unbeatable in the bull classes. "Gus Paul Bruce," awarded senior and grand champion for bulls at Vancouver, adds another red ribbon to his decorations from this season's major exhibitions. "Gus Paul Bruce" holds three firsts and the grand championship from Calgary, Saskatoon and Regina, and took second place at Edmonton. His record in 1930 made him first prize bull in Holstein classes at Vancouver, Victoria, Spokane International, and the Pacific Northwest Interstate Fair, Puyallup, and Pacific International, Portland. Also in 1930 he claimed the grand championship at Spokane, Yakima and Puyallup. He goes now, with other Strathmore Farm exhibits to the north Pacific Coast fair.

Young Wins Swim Marathon

Toronto's Swimmer Defeats Field Of 19 Contenders

Toronto.—George Young, Toronto, who for years has sought vindication, found it today, Meeting Lake Ontario when the lake was at its lowest. Young defied it. He smashed through cold, cold waters for 15 miles to win the world's professional swimming championship, \$10,000 in cash and vindication in the eyes of Toronto's citizenry. In the last grueling drive he evaded the finish line only after 7 o'clock, swam perhaps 20 feet farther, then collapsed. The lake had its way in the end—but not the cruellest, most brutal grinds in the history of swimming.

Young was leading by nearly a mile at the finish line, and all talk of his being a "front runner," the boy who quit under pressure, was set at rest by his performance. Gone, too, are the cutting and unkind remarks that the Catalina victory of 1927 was a "fluke."

The prize winners were: George Young, Toronto, first, \$10,000.

Bill Gull, New York, second, \$2,500.

Warren Anderson, Sydney, N.S., third, \$1,000.

The losers were the only swimmers to finish the ordeal.

LEGION OPPOSED TO LEGALIZING SWEEPSTAKES

Niagara Falls, Ont.—The Dominion convention of the Canadian Legion expressed itself as opposed to the idea of legalizing sweepstakes in Canada. The convention, adopted with only one dissenting voice, a report of a special committee, advocated that no steps be taken for the change of the law regarding sweepstakes. The committee urged that the Dominion committee be instructed to oppose any such change in the future, attempts to alter this law.

It was also recommended that the proffered gift of \$50,000 from the Army and Navy Veterans' Association of Canada, which was claimed, was withheld from sweepstakes, be returned to the donors.

The claim of an Alberta delegate that many branches in that province would be in open rebellion if the report was adopted was not heeded by other delegates. The Alberta man claimed if sweepstakes were legalized the Legion ought to participate in them. Rev. E. H. Atch of Whitley, Ont., declared if the branches were ready to rebel because they could not support a way of raising money, the legion would be better off without them.

Imperial war veterans were given prominence in a series of resolutions presented to the convention and given the approval of the gathering. One resolution urged that Imperial war veterans residing in Canada three years or more, be entitled to the benefits of the War Veterans' Allowance Act, and all social legislation in the way of relief to war veterans. It was also asked that men who had been transferred to the Imperial Army from the Canadian Army be given the same consideration as Canadian ex-service men.

Appointments by the British Government in each province of the Dominion of a representative of the British Ministry of Pensions was urged by the convention.

A comprehensive and detailed report, reviewing the activities of the Canadian Legion since the last Dominion Convention at Regina, November, 1929, was presented Wednesday morning, September 2, by Major J. R. Bowler, Dominion general secretary.

During the year from July, 1930, to July, 1931, the report shows 1,260 British Empire medals were recorded, with some 3,000 cases other than pension were recorded.

The report reviewed its activities in securing pension legislation, and the War Veterans' Allowance Act. Figures quoted in the report show that up to August 17, 1931, 7,634 Imperial war veterans' allowances had been received, and that of those, 3,190 had been approved, and 3,700 declined. While 263 applicants were considered ineligible and 48 were withdrawn.

Vancouver was selected for the next convention of the Canadian Legion British Empire Service League at the concluding session of the convention at Vancouver. The Pacific Coast city defeated Ottawa and Port Arthur for the honour. The date of the 1932 gathering has not yet been decided.

HARVESTING HAS PROGRESSED SATISFACTORILY

Ottawa, Ont.—Harvesting of seasonal crops has progressed satisfactorily in all parts of Canada during the past two weeks, says the Dominion Bureau of Statistics in its crop report.

On conditions in the prairie provinces, the report points out that harvesting of wheat has progressed satisfactorily. Operations have advanced somewhat by rainfall. Although delaying harvesting a few days the rains were, however, very beneficial in improving the feed and pasture situation, especially in Manitoba.

Heavy damage has been done by hail at several points in Saskatchewan and Alberta, but no new developments in the root situation were reported.

In Ontario the weather has been good for harvesting and yields are generally satisfactory. Favourable weather in British Columbia has generally hastened. The quality of fruits and vegetables is generally good, and some fresh produce is practically completed in Quebec.

The detailed review of crop conditions followed, in part: During the past week Manitoba received substantial rains which have delayed harvesting operations for the time being. Some threatening showers were urgently needed to improve the pasture and feed situation. Approximately 80 per cent. of the wheat crop in Manitoba is now harvested. It is complete in southern districts. A light frost was reported but only slight damage.

"In Saskatchewan approximately 70 per cent. of the wheat crop is now out and there is under way in the areas. Fresh crops and pastures will benefit from the rains received, and late crops will progress if not retarded by further rain."

"Cutting in Alberta is well advanced in southern districts and is now general in central and northern areas. Rain has delayed operations in the central and northern areas, where crops are heavy, and damage reported if further rains are received before harvesting is completed."

Cutting of grain is practically completed on Vancouver Island and southern mainland, while harvesting is becoming general in northern areas. In the north, potatoes, carrots, cauliflowers and vegetables are being shipped in volume and the quality of produce is good.

"The following hail reports were received from correspondents in Saskatchewan and Alberta: In Saskatchewan, hail damage to crops as a result of storm of August 26 at Estevan, Arcadia, Carlyle, Alda, Wauchope, Rosedale and Mayfield in Saskatchewan.

"Hail claims received from Didsbury, Crowded, Michich, Delta, Hanover, and other places in Alberta at most points in Alberta."

An Epochal Event

Minister Of Railways May Withdraw First Grain Shipment From Churchill

Ottawa, Ont.—Hon. R. J. Manion, Minister of Railways and Canada, may withdraw the first grain shipment to move from Churchill over the Hudson Bay route.

Arrangements have been rushed to permit two cargoes of wheat to be shipped about September 15 for Great Britain. Dr. Manion has not decided definitely whether he would be presiding officials of the Department of Railways and Canada will make the journey.

New Freight Tariff Protested

Calgary Board Of Trade Draws Attention To New Tariff

Calgary, Alberta.—Protest to the Board of Railway Commissioners at Ottawa over the filing of a new tariff by railway companies which would make shippers pay freight on dead weight animals was made by the Board of Trade here.

The board claimed that a double tariff would be made under the new tariff, but railway officials replied that the tariff had been in effect in Ontario for a year and no complaints raised.

Christening Ceremony

Montreal, Que.—Christening of the infant son of their Excellencies the Governor-General of Canada and Lady Bessborough will take place in St. Bartholomew's Church, Ottawa, on September 22. Official announcement to this effect was made at "Ravenscourt," temporary residence of their Excellencies here.

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visitors in town during the
week.

Campbell's had the new fall
Suit Samples, wonderful values
from \$20.00 up.

The Presbytery of High
River will meet in Champion
on Wednesday Sept. 23rd.

Miss Mary Bowman returned
home on Tuesday, after a visit
of several weeks in Indiana.

Ole Ranning, now the posses
or of a handsome Durant coupe,
was a visitor in town on Mon-
day.

Mr. and Mrs. Johnson of
Toronto visited their daughter,
Mrs. J. M. Pharis, over the week
end.

The Women's Missionary
Society of High River Presby-
tery will meet in Champion
along with Presbytery.

K. R. McLean, R.O. of Mc-
Lean & Anderson, Sight special-
ist, 224-8th Ave West, Calgary
will make his monthly visit to
Champion, Friday, October 2,
at the Drug Store.

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Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Gill ac-
companied Miss Ena to the
Keith sanatorium on Sunday,
making the trip by auto. The
patient stood the trip splendid-
ly. With the care for which
the Keith institution is noted
prompt improvement in her
condition is practically assured.

A big rally will be held at the
evening session of Presbytery
in the church Champion on
Sept. 23rd, when Rev. Kenneth
Prior, returned agricultural
missionary of Angola, Portu-
guese West Africa, will be the
principal speaker. Keep this
date in mind Sept. 23rd.

At the moment when test
shipment of Western Canadian
Grain are being made to the
European markets from Port
Churchill on the Hudson Bay,
it is of interest to note that
samples of wheat grown in the
Churchill district will be enter-
ed in the competitive classes of
the World's Grain Exhibition
and Conference to be held a
Regina in 1932.

Men it will sure pay you well
to get fitted out at Campbell's.
Everything in men's wear.

Andrew Hill of Eugene,
Oregon, is in town looking
after crop interests.

One and one quarter inches
of rain fell on Tuesday and
Wednesday, according to the
instruments located at the Cana-
dian Bank of Commerce.

A black gopher sent the St.
George's Island zoo by "Lee".
Siler of Champion is receiving
a great deal of attention as a
complete novelty. It would
appear that our old friend
Elmer is the most likely Siler
to have made the capture.

**Loses Fingers
In Well Accident**

Ed. Beingsesser was admitted
to the Claresholm hospital
this week suffering from a
nasty accident which occurred
at the Chas. Wickstrum farm.
It appears that Mr. Beingsesser
was assisting in the raising of a
well casing which slipped and
came down on both of his
hands. One hand was severely
crushed and the other so badly
lacerated that amputation of
two fingers was found neces-
sary in order to save the hand.

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the first time. Its sponsors be-
lieve that it is destined to be-
come as popular as tomato
and orange juice as a breakfast
drink and ingredient for cock-
tails.



Champion Theatre, Wednes-
day, September 16.

In last week's issue it was
stated that Mr. Bain had taken
up residence with "Mrs. Nash
and family." Apologies are
due to Mr. and Mrs. Bain in
consequence. The editor's one
track mind had not escaped
from the fruit company with
which Mr. Bain had been con-
nected.

Earl Popham, who has op-
erated the Ford Garage for some
months, closed the building up
this week and with Mrs. Pop-
ham has left town. Too many
garages and too little business
would appear to have been the
cause of closing the business
up. Both Mr. and Mrs. Pop-
ham had made many friends
while residing in town.

J. M. Moffatt has a delightful
showing of green lawn and
flowers as the result of supply-
ing water in quantity during
the dry spell.

The roads have almost com-
pletely dried up and traffic of
all kinds is proceeding as if
there had been no rain.

Note announcement of the
return of the flying squadron
next Wednesday.

Whoopee is coming. Every-
body is going. A wonderful
show Wed. Sept. 16th.

Champion United Church

Sunday, September 12th.
10.30 a.m., Sunday School at 11.00 a.m. Morning Worship at 11.00 a.m.
3 p.m. Service and Sunday School at Sanderson.
7.30 p.m. Evening Worship at Champion. Subject: "Looking Unto Jesus."

Rev. Peter Dawson Minister

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